## IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF FEDERAL CLAIMS

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STATE OF ALASKA,	) Case No. 24-396L
Plaintiff,	) Judge Richard A. Hertling
v.	)
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)
Defendant.	)
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## JOINT STATUS REPORT

The parties submit this joint status report in compliance with the Court's January 6, 2025 Order (ECF No. 13). The State of Alaska's case against the United States is still pending in the U.S. District Court for the District of Alaska. *See N. Dynasty Minerals Ltd. v. U.S. Env't Prot. Agency*, No. 3:24-cv-59 (D. Alaska) (lead case; cases consolidated). As a result, the interests of efficiency and conserving the parties' and Court's resources continue to support a stay of this case. The parties propose filing another joint status report within sixty days, on or before September 5, 2025, to update the Court on the progress of the district court proceedings and propose a schedule for any further proceedings in this case, if warranted.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The United States makes the following separate statement: Although the United States continues to support a stay of this case for the reasons above and based on the specific factual circumstances, it neither concedes that this Court has jurisdiction nor is waiving any defenses, including but not limited to a lack of jurisdiction based on 28 U.S.C. § 1500.

## Respectfully submitted this 7th day of July, 2025,

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